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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Personnel

SUBJECT: Pay of Consultants and Experts

REFERENCE: Memo fr D/Pers to Deputy General Counsel,
dtd 3 May 1963, same subject as above

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1. We have been examining this problem and have discussed it at various places. Most particularly we have discussed it with the Department of Defense since the statute involved also affects them. I have been informed by Mr. Norman Paul, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower, that they very much desire to establish a rate in this field of \$100 a day and he is presently collecting specific justification from the various services.

2. Your suggestion that we merely delete the reference to \$50 a day does pose a problem in the respect that while CIA would thus be left to its statutory authority under P. L. 110, DOD on the other hand would be left to go to the provisions of F. L. 600 which would give them a maximum rate of \$68.96 at present and \$74.16 in January of 1963. This particular point makes it even more necessary that we coordinate our approach most closely with DOD. This becomes even more pertinent since we are advised that informal discussion of this problem by DOD with the Bureau of the Budget was not entirely satisfactory in that the Bureau of the Budget stated they would prefer to look into this problem on a Government-wide basis and, consequently, would like to conduct some thorough studies. All of this, of course, could mean extended delay.

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3. As a first step in working on this, it is requested that the Office of Personnel pull together appropriate justification looking toward discussions with the Bureau of the Budget. I think we should have very specific examples of why we need relief from the \$50 a day and why we should be able to go up to \$100 a day. After this has been prepared I would propose that the Agency and DOD consult to determine the best strategy. I might add that Mr. Paul stated he was pleased to learn of our efforts in this field and he saw no reason why we could not work together on this.

/s/ John S. Warner

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